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## THE CUBAN DEBT

There is a Possibility of a Disagreement by the Peace Commissioners.

In Fact the Dons May Even Prefer a Resumption of Hostilities to Acquiescence in the American Refusal to Share Their Debt.

PARIS, Oct. 25.—The consideration by the commissioners of the Porto Rico and Ladrones question has now been merged with the Cuban question and all the points involved are being carried forward to a simultaneous conclusion.

When this has been arrived at the Philippine question will be taken up. Of course, there is a possibility of a disagreement, and the Spaniards, if the American commissioners decide not to assume any portion of the Cuban indebtedness, may announce their unwillingness to proceed any further with negotiations based upon the protocol. Should the Spaniards decide to do this, it will be because they wish to excite the pity of their creditors and of other nations. The cortes may then be asked to endorse their action. In fact, Spaniards may even prefer a resumption of hostilities to acquiescence in the American refusal to share their financial burden. The Americans, however, have intimated to the Spaniards the possibility that Spain may at some future period be able to deal with an independent government regarding the assumption

### BROOKLYN VISITED BY FIRE.

Four Blocks and a Vessel Burned—The Loss Will Total Up About Half a Million Dollars.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Fire broke out shortly after 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at pier 39, East river, Brooklyn, and did damage to the amount of half a million dollars.

Pier 39 adjoins the naval store of George L. Hammond, extending from Coffee to Walcott street. At pier 39 the four masted British ship Andorenha was lying, discharging a cargo composed principally of jute butts, salted shrimps, shellfish and raw silk.

A north wind fanned the flames fiercely and in a few minutes the water front for four blocks, extending from Vandeleur to Walcott streets, was ablaze. Heavy black smoke settled over the East river as far north as Long Island sound and extended over the lower part of Brooklyn, so that it became necessary to light lamps in business houses.

Among the heaviest losses is that of George L. Hammond, owner of the naval stores, which is placed at \$100,000. The Andorenha is owned by F. W. Roberts, of Liverpool, England, and valued at \$200,000. She was consigned to Ralli Bros. commission merchants. The blazing vessel was towed down to the Gowanus flats and probably will prove a total loss. The Brooklyn Wharf and Warehouse Co., according to the best estimates, will lose \$150,000.

The three-masted schooner Waenaw, loaded with benzine, alcohol and

## A RACE WAR ON.

White Deputy Dead, Three Wounded, and Eleven Negroes Reported Killed.

Gov. McLaurin Arrives on the Scene—The Governor Was Accompanied by a Posse of 30 Armed Men—Another Battle Expected.

FORST, Miss., Oct. 24.—As the result of an attempt to arrest a Negro near Harpersville, Scott county, in the eastern part of the state, one white deputy is killed, three wounded and according to the latest report nine Negroes have been killed by the citizens of the Harpersville neighborhood and the sheriff's posse combined. The pursuit of about 50 Negroes which had joined the original offender with the avowed determination to prevent his arrest and capture and which ambushed the party attempting the arrest continues and by morning the number of fatalities will undoubtedly have assumed larger proportions. The whole country is terribly aroused and the sheriff's posse has been reinforced with men from all the neighboring towns. Gov. McLaurin has gone to the scene, which is about ten miles north of Forest, the nearest railroad point. The trouble originated last Friday when a Negro named Bill Burke had an altercation with his employer, Charles Freeman, a white man, in which the Negro got the best of the afflition. The next night a crowd of white men headed by Wallace Sibley, who was deputized to arrest the man, went to Burke's house, which is about a mile from Harpersville.

When they arrived upon the scene and called for Burke they were greeted by a fusillade from the Negroes concealed in ambush in the bushes surrounding the house and in the house itself. Wallace Sibley, the leader, fell dead at the first volley, and three more white members of the crowd, James Johnson, James Hamilton and Jaimes Wells were wounded. The whites returned fire but were unable to do any execution as their assailants were all concealed.

Sunday morning Sheriff J. M. Stevenson was wired from Harpersville of the threatening condition of affairs and he was asked to get together a posse and come at once to Harpersville.

The sheriff lives at Morton, ten miles from the scene, gathering together a posse of citizens the sheriff started at once for the place. When he arrived in the afternoon he was joined by crowds of citizens until a conservative estimate places the number in the posse as over 300 men. Immediately after leaving the house where the first tragedy was committed the Negroes scattered through the surrounding country. The sheriff's pursuit has resolved itself into a chase of the Negroes implicated and not of a mob which is keeping together as was first reported. A reliable telephone message received at a late hour Sunday night states that three more Negroes have been found and killed, making a total of nine to date with about forty more to be heard from. Sheriff Stevenson realizing the danger apprehended immediately wired Gov. McLaurin for aid in quelling a probable widespread disturbance. Upon receipt of his telegram the governor wired Adj't Gen. Henry, at Jackson, to get together a company of the national guard and proceed to the scene upon the first train. Gen. Henry immediately responded that there was no national guard company obtainable, but that he would get together a company of armed men and render necessary assistance.

A large part of the cargo of the Andorenha had been discharged and when the fire started two lighters were loaded with jute from her hold and tied between piers 39 and 40. The loss to these lighters will be about \$6,000.

### WERE MARRIED IN LONDON.

Gen. Merritt Marries Miss Laura Williams, of Chicago—Owing to Bride's Illness the Wedding Was Private.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Gen. Merritt, who was recently in command of United States troops at Manila, and Miss Laura Williams, of Chicago, who recently arrived from New York, were married at 6 o'clock Monday evening in the bride's apartments at the Savoy hotel. The wedding was private.

Finally, it is said that there are persons high in the Spanish council who claim to believe that Spain would rather submit humbly and helplessly to decimation or dismemberment than confront this continued financial burden. One course would leave her pride unsullied, it is claimed, and the other is regarded as doubtful, if not impossible, of adoption within the boundaries of national solvency.

Spain, however, will not break off the present negotiations before having proposed that the United States share half of the insular debt, which, in such a proposition, may be placed at \$700,000,000, the interest rate to be reduced to two per cent, which, Spain may hold, practically reduces her share to \$110,000,000, the portion proposed to be borne by the United States or guaranteed thereby.

Such proposition would not be accepted by the United States either directly or in behalf of Cuba.

Mounted Policemen in Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Oct. 25.—Six mounted policemen will be placed on duty in the suburbs Tuesday. These are the first ever known in Louisville.

## ENGLAND'S SHIPS MOBILIZE.

The 13th Atlantic Squadron Ordered to Halifax, N.S.—Torpedo Boats to Be Overhauled.

HALIFAX, Oct. 25.—The commanders of British warships in the North American squadron have received orders to sail to Halifax.

The Pallas, Talbot and Indefatigable will come here at once together with the torpedo boat destroyers now at Bermuda. The crew of the flagship Renown will be sent to Lawlers Island this week for field practice. The Renown is due Monday morning for heavy gun practice.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The British admiralty issued a number of significant orders Monday morning. The dock yard at Portsmouth, Devonport and Chatham have each received instructions to prepare six 30-knot torpedo boats for commissioning so that they will be able to put to sea at 24 hours. Overtime hours have begun on the first-class cruisers Repulse and Andromeda so as to hurry their completion. Several gunboats in the recent dock yards have been ordered to postpone unnecessary refitting.

The Pall Mall Gazette says heavy armor plate and projectile factories at Sheffield and Portsmouth are working day and night.

There is no foundation for the report that the British admiralty has ordered the Cunard and White Star lines to have their subsidized vessels in readiness to be handed over to the admiralty officials.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—Preparations for war continue on an active scale. An important move developed Monday when it was learned that the municipality of Toulon had been notified by the government that the city is to be the center of an important mobilization movement.

Public opinion differs as to the outcome of this Fashoda incident. It is held, on the one hand, that the whole Egyptian venture will be re-opened and that England will be compelled to go to war with France; while, on the other hand, people of this opinion argue that England does not want to fight and that France has troubles of her own at home which require all her attention.

The port authorities of Toulon have received further orders in regard to accelerating the work of fitting out a new squadron.

The press continues moderate in tone. The Figaro says that if the British government shall reject the just and moderate proposals of France it is because, like the English newspapers, it desires France's humiliation before all else.

The Steele, after urging peace, says: "France would hardly come off better in a war with England than did Spain in the war with the United States. France would be better employed developing her colonies than in thwarting England."

The Autorite declares that France ought never to have gone to Fashoda, adding: "It was a stupid mistake, and now England calls on us to get out. Well, it is no use talking, we shall have to get out, otherwise there will be war, which would be madness."

### CLOVER LEAF RAILROAD.

A Syndicate Being Formed in Wall Street for Its Reorganization—They Are Asking \$13,000,000.

TOLEDO, O., Oct. 25.—A syndicate for the reorganization of the Clover Leaf is being formed on Wall street. The work is being done under cover of a proposition to extend the road from a point near the Indiana-Illinois line to Chicago. It is figured that the only way to get the road out of the hands of the court is to purchase some of the Waring interests of the line. The syndicate, through Vermilye & Co. and Halligan, New York, are raising \$13,000,000. Five millions is said to have been already placed in St. Louis and Chicago and most of the remainder has been raised in New York.

YELLOU RIVER OVERFLOWS.

Two Thousand Chinamen Drowned—The Most Appalling Calamity of Modern Times in Central China.

HONG KONG, Oct. 25.—The overflowing of the Yellow river in the Shantung province has caused the most appalling disaster of modern times in Central China. Villages were swept away by hundreds. One hundred thousand people are ruined and homeless, crouching along the river banks in the pitiless rain. Two thousand were drowned. The general distress is augmented by the spoiling of the cereal crops by floods of wet weather. Famine will prevail this winter in a district populated by more than one million people.

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FOR CONGRESS  
HON. G. G. GILBERT,  
OF SHELBY.

If the goldbugs get the next Congress the greenbacks will be burned and interest-bearing bonds will bring prosperity. Vote the Hannacrat ticket this fall.

The Richmond Register has been leased by R. Lee Davis and H. R. Pickels. Mr. Davis will be Editor, manager and of course, with such a man in charge the Register will continue in the front ranks of Journalism.

Hanna's famous verdict that the Maine "blown herself up," is equalled by the administration claim that the soldiers in Cuba and in Southern camps took sick and died "for political effect."

It is a singular fact that the two years since the election of President McKinley have witnessed the formation of more trusts and combinations of capital than during any other two years in the history of the United States.

With corn at eighteen cents, wool with no market at all and wheat at almost fifty cent notch, the "prosperous farmers" are not so sure they can meet expenses voting for "sound money and the national honor."

The election of a Democratic majority in the next Congress would be a great misfortune indeed—to the trusts, to the railroad wreckers to the land grabbers and to the bankers who are expecting to destroy all greenbacks and other forms of Government money and take upon themselves the whole duty of issuing currency for the people.

Hon. G. G. Gilbert's speech at the centennial celebration of Jessamine county on the 17th of last month, was a literary gem of rare production. It showed that the speaker was well posted in the history of his country from the early dawn of civilization. It shows him to be a man of learning and ability. If the people send him to Congress, as they should do, he will soon stand in the front rank of debaters in that august assembly. Equipped by nature, training and practice, his talents now entitle him to a seat in Congress.

By invitation Gov. James B. McCreary spoke to a large and appreciative audience here Saturday in behalf of Democracy and Hon. Geo. Gilbert. He thanked the Democrats for their support in the past and urged them to support Hon. G. G. Gilbert for Congress. He also spoke for the principles set forth in the national Democrat platform adopted at Chicago. He praised our soldiers and sailors, and criticised treatment they received in hospitals and camps.

He showed the effects of Republican rule in Kentucky and the United States, opposed alliance with Great Britain, and advocated immediate acquisition of Porto Rico and declared that Cuba should be annexed when desired by the people of the Island. He criticized the issue of interest bearing bonds by the government.

We have tried the road toward the single gold standard for so many years, and on that road nothing but closer times and more frequent panics have awaited us. Are you not ready to return to sound and well-tried bi-metalism, the double standard of our fathers?

And Gov. Bradley will be here to bolster up the "Grey Gelding" in his losing, waning cause. "Billy" will be able to blow but little wind into the punctured tire of Boss Davison. Davison took an active part in a quiet, underhanded way in this county's election last fall. He even wrote letters to good men in this county that they must get into the Bethelum band wagon. Dr. Davison made numerous "bets" that Dave Bethelum would beat Dick Wilkins; and it has been frequently whispered from sources that Davison himself sent hoolie here to help defeat the Independent ticket. In that race Davison antagonized and fought the best element of the Republican party. He proved himself treacherous to those who had supported him—some places he would promise the post office to one and give it to another. Other places the people had nothing to do with the selection of a postmaster, as it was promised before he was elected. With the additional fact that Davison did nothing in Congress, and the fact that he secretly knifed the Independent Republicans in this county last fall, yet Boss Bradley with bowie-knife, sword and lash in hand comes to drive the best element of the Republican party to do their bidding. We believe they will vote as they think best, not depending upon anyone for instructions. They are men of thought, action and courage. All honor to them.

## WILDIE.

J. Fish and W. H. Jones were in Mt. Vernon, Monday.

Henry Woods and Wm. Hayes are in Louisville this week.

Mrs. J. L. Brooks and Miss Anne Stewart were here shopping Monday.

Dr. Gibson, of Richmond, was here Monday.

Mrs. Butner visited relatives in Madison last week.

Mole Parsons was at Livingston Saturday and Sunday.

Tom Parsons was up from Livingston Sunday.

David Menifee died at Corbin last week and was brought here and buried at the Maret graveyard.

The little son of W. N. Waller is very sick.

E. A. Herring is here from Livingston doing some stone work for Henry Woods.

Wm. Phillips has moved from Brindle Ridge to this place.

Geo. Johnson was up from Brush Creek.

Has Buck Varnon never returned from up Salt River?

## ORLANDO.

Mrs. Flarie Bowles is on the sick list this week.

R. L. Porter visited Mt. Vernon Sunday.

Geo. Johnson has returned from Louisville and opening up a large line of new goods.

Mrs. D. N. Welch and Mrs. M. Pennington were here to see Mrs. Johnson last week.

White Lightning struck this town last week and with many bitter oaths and hard sayings the boys told how bad they were. They should be allowed to tell it again in court.

Bill Evans has moved to Hazel Patch. We are sorry to give Bill up.

W. S. Johnson has returned from Louisville where he has been to have his eye taken out.

Abe Evans was very badly hurt at Langford quarry a few days since by being caught with a car.

Dr. Childress was in Mt. Vernon Sunday.

John Robinson, is in Clay County very sick with fever.

## LIVINGSTON.

Born to the wife of Geo. McCarthy on the 21st, a girl.

Ernest Fishback is visiting relatives near Falmouth.

Dr. Henry Pettus was in Crab Orchard, Sunday.

T. J. Ballard is shaking hands with his many friends here this week, he having recovered from a long spell of sickness.

Jos Coffey and Sam Ward were at Mt. Vernon, Wednesday.

Jake Sambrook was in Danville Tuesday.

John Murray the cruiser man, was here Monday to see one of the prettiest young ladies in the State.

Charley and Miss Susie Poynter of Corbin, are visiting Mrs. Sue Mullins at the Mullins Hotel.

J. H. Browning was here from Cincinnati last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stevens, were here from Crab Orchard looking at the Mullin's hotel which they rented and will take possession of Dec 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wright have returned from Parksville.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Graves left Friday for Birmingham, Ala., to see Fred and their new daughter-in-law.

Miss Bettie Lewis, of Turnerville, was at the Pope Hotel last week.

The little infant of Mart Hicks was buried here on the 20th.

Hav. No. 1 Timothy baled hay for sale. Orders filled promptly by A. H. Baston, Crab Orchard. Write for prices.

Don't forget to call at Williams drug store during Court. Make this drugstore your headquarters while in town.

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## LOCAL & OTHERWISE.

Pay your dues to Signal.

Mrs. Petty has malarial fever.

November 24th is Thanksgiving Day.

Squire Durham was in from  
Wildie.

Jim Hayes was here from Wildie  
Monday.

Squire Gatliff has added his name  
to our list.

Mrs. Georgia Rice is visiting in  
Louisville.

Robert Taylor was in from Lev-  
el Green.

Lee Porter was here from Orlan-  
do on Sunday last.

Miss Florelle Brown is with rel-  
atives at Parksville.

Dr. J. M. Williams has returned  
to Camp Hamilton.

Harve Sigmion was here attend-  
ing court Monday.

The printers being sick made us  
one day late this week.

J. T. Clark; Climax, was in and  
renewed his subscription.

George Johnson the Orlando  
merchant was here Monday.

Allen Hiatt is one of the best  
road overseers in the county.

Reuben Mullins the wide awake  
drummer was here Tuesday.

J. L. Brooks, the General lumber-  
man of Wildie called on us.

G. W. Jones and Jim Lucas,  
Conway, were callers at this office.

G. C. Fish, one of Rockcastle's  
best farmers called on us yesterday

Miss Fannie Langford and J. S.  
Damron have moved to Ash Grove,  
Mo.,

Arch Albright called Wednesday  
and renewed his subscription to  
SIGNAL.

Dr. Benton one of Brodheads  
splendid Physicians was with us  
Tuesday.

Walter Turpin has opened a  
barbershop near M. C. Williams  
residence.

Mrs. Susan Henderson is visiting  
her brother Dr. S. W. Brown at  
Commerce Texas.

App Taylor is still clinging to  
the L. & N. Its only a question  
of time with App.

Joseph Coffey and W. J. Sparks  
were here from Livingston Monday  
to hear McCreary.

J. W. Marler and son are ever-  
lastingly filling the air with saw-  
dust at their mill.

W. C. Johnson, of Clima, was in  
Louisville last week and had an  
eye removed by the doctors.

Judge R. J. Breckinridge, of  
Danville, has announced him-  
self for Attorney General.

E. B. Brown is with us.  
Green Parker is at work again.  
Billy Falin was here from Cove.

Miss Green has returned to Ver-  
sailles.

Henry James Mullins was here  
Tuesday.

PAINTS AND OILS at C. C.  
Davis & Co.

Miss Carrie Lair was visiting in  
town Thursday last.

Mrs. Will Ward was here from  
Livingston, Monday.

Aid Society met at Mrs. Nes-  
bitt's, Thursday.

Mrs. S. W. Davis has been quite  
ill with fever but is better.

Go to Bob Cox's to buy your  
groceries and dry goods

Tom Jim Ballard, the old reliable  
came out to hear McCreary.

Road overseer. Per Riggsby,  
worked his men eighteen days.

Assessor French and Deputy  
Reynolds were in town Monday.

Misses Kate Spradlin and Rose  
Klein were in town yesterday shop-  
ping.

P. T. Welsh is in Louisville  
where he will likely secure em-  
ployment.

Mrs. Della Adams, of near  
Mareburg, was here shopping  
Monday last.

The mother of Editor Louis  
Landrum died at Lexington on the  
20th aged 83.

Bro. Isom, a Methodist minister,  
will preach at the Presbyterian  
church Sunday next.

FOR SALE.—One house and lot  
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tie May Yeager, of Lancaster, were  
visiting at M. J. Miller's last week.

Sam Pennington was here from  
Raspberry the first of the week.  
Sam will get the Signal every week  
now

Judge Lair, Dr. Cooper, Rev.  
Capps, J. C. Phillips, Peter LeGier,  
Jerry Frith and W. C. Mullins were  
on hands Monday

R. A. Welsh has already entered  
city politics. He has been appoint-  
ed election judge in one of the  
Louisville precincts.

Mrs. Susie McFerron, of Leb-  
anon Junction, is here the guest of  
her mother and father, Mr. and  
Mrs. Tom Taylor.

Commissioner J. I. White after a  
three week attendance at U. S.  
Court Louisville has returned and  
claimed citizenship here.

Our friends will oblige us by re-  
porting at this or other telephone  
offices when they find a broken  
wire or wire down anywhere along  
the line.

W. G. Adams has gone into the  
Poultry and produce business at  
Brodhead, paying cash. He will  
be in Mt. Vernon one day each  
week. Date to be given later.

NOTICE. I will pay cash for  
Eggs Turkeys and Geese. Before  
selling call and get prices.

A. E. Albright, Brodhead

There will be an election held in  
Somerset on Dec. 10 to take the  
sense of the voters of the city of  
Somerset, whether or not spiritu-  
ous, vinous and malt liquors, shall  
be sold within the city limits.

Hon. G. G. Gilbert and Judge  
R. G. Williams will speak at Liv-  
ingston Thursday Nov. 3, at 2 p.m.

Brodhead, Nov. 4, 2 p.m.  
Same date at Level Green 6:30 p.m.  
Mt. Vernon, Nov. 5th 2 p.m.  
and Wildie 6:30 p.m. Same date.

Arthur Owens, clerk for W. T.  
Brook's, & Co., of Hazel Patch,  
an accomplished young man, is  
visiting his uncle G. S. Griffin at  
this place.

Harry Blazer, Hon. Sam Ward,  
N. M. Shumate, L. T. Stewart, W.  
G. Adams, B. C. Richardson, Mat.  
Swinson, Luther Kelton, and  
many other staunch citizens were  
here Monday.

Silas Hardin of this county was  
sentenced in U. S. Court at Lon-  
gville to Columbus, Ohio, Penitentiary  
one year and one day and fined  
\$500 on charge of moonshining  
and retailing liquor.

The Interior Journal says the  
war is over, and the reason the  
United States won is that she is as  
strong as Sampson, Miles long,  
Schley as a fox, and has plenty of  
Merritt. What more Dewey want?

The season for quail, partridges  
and other pheasants opens November  
15th, and closes January 1st.  
Any person killing or having in  
their possession quail, partridges or  
pheasants before the opening of  
the season, is liable to a fine of not  
less than \$5 nor more than \$25.

HON. G. G. GILBERT  
Democratic nominee for Congress,  
will speak at the following places:

Foxtown, Oct. 29.

Livingston, Nov. 3.

Brodhead, Nov. 4.

Mt. Vernon, Nov. 5.

Just think of it! Children's fei-  
hats, trimmed, 25 cents; ladies  
hats, trimmed, 25c and up. Child-  
ren's heavy ribbed hose 8/5c per  
pair. Chickens and eggs taken in  
exchange. Call and see me ad-  
joining Presbyterian church.

Mrs. S. C. Franklin

Major Samuel Morrow has been  
appointed president of the of the  
general court martial of the entire  
division at Anniston, Ala. This is  
a highly responsible position, and  
is quite a compliment to Major  
Morrow. Major Morrow is a son  
of the "Old Judge."

W. E. Singleton was shot and  
dangerously wounded by Major T.  
J. Carson at Lexington last Saturday  
in a difficulty arising over some  
photographs. Singleton had made  
for Major Carson's niece. Ed  
Singleton as we knew him, was at  
this place for two or three summers  
some twelve or fifteen years ago  
and was a first class photographer  
and made many friends here.

The following persons spent a  
week in attendance at U. S. Court  
Louisville and returned Tuesday:

H. H. McClure, J. C. Mullins, J.  
C. Graves, Josiah Megee, Thos.  
Austin, Judge Ashley Owens, J.  
G. Cummins, G. W. Payne, Jim  
Payne, L. W. Bethurum, M. J. Be-  
thurum, Tee Payne and Dick Sow-  
der. They were in the case of U.  
S. against Fred Hayes charged  
with having broken into his bonded  
warehouse in 1894. The case was  
ably argued by attorneys Mead and  
L. W. Bethurum. Hayes was ac-  
quitted.

We have two children who are  
subject to attack of croup. When-  
ever an attack is coming on my  
wife gives them Chamberlain's  
Cough Remedy and it always pre-  
vents the attack. It is a household  
necessity in this country and no  
matter what else we run out of, it  
would not do to be without Cham-  
berlain's Cough Remedy. More  
of it is sold here than of all other  
cough medicines combined.—J. M.  
Nickle, of Nickle Bros., merchants  
Nickleville Pa. For sale by M. C.  
& D. N. Williams.

A story is told of a trial for as-  
sault in the State of Arkansas. In  
the course of the trial a club, a rail,  
an ax handle, a knife, and a shot  
gun, were shown as the instru-  
ments with which the assault was  
committed. But it was shown  
that the assaulted defended himself  
with a revolver, a scythe, a pitch-  
fork, a chisel, a handsaw, and a  
dog. The decision of the jury was  
that they'd have given a dollar a  
piece to have seen the fight.

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in the basement opposite Court  
house.

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Crab Orchard, 20 cts.; to Rowland

and Standford 25 cts.

A man was asked the cause of

his father's death and replied that

"while addressing a large outdoor

assembly of people, who were

listening to his remarks with the

greatest interest, a portion of the

platform upon which he was

standing gave way beneath him,

whereby he was precipitated sev-  
eral feet with such violence as to

break his neck." The man's

father was hanged.

A CALL

The District Chairman of the

Rockcastle county Democratic Com-

mittee are hereby ordered to meet

in Mt. Vernon on Saturday, Nov.

5th at 1 o'clock p.m. in the office of

C. C. Williams

W. J. SPARKS, Chairman of

Dem Co Committee

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Ella J. Agee, wife of A. O.

Agee, after a lingering illness, died

of consumption on Oct. 14th. She

leaves two children, Jesse J. and

Jones L., aged 8 and 6, respectively.

This makes three deaths in Mr.

Agee's family within last eleven

months. Mrs. Agee was a kind,

Christian woman and has gone to

her reward. Just before death she

called the family to her bedside,

bade them farewell and asked them

to meet her in the better world.

The remains were buried in the

family graveyard in Cove Valley

by her two children, Geder and

Essie. Mr. Agee asks to express

through the Signal, his thanks to

his neighbors for kindness shown

in his recent affliction.

The question of salaries was

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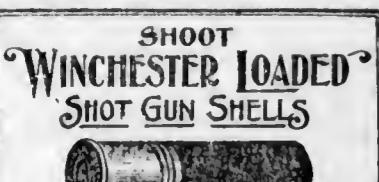
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